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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated March 3, 2006 and subsequent Advisory Action dated May 19, 2006, please consider the following amendments and remarks under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.116.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.